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SUBJ: MESSAGE FROM TURKISH SENATE TO UNITED STATES SENATE.

REKIN ARIBURUN, PRESIDENT OF THE TURKISH SENATE, AND A PERSONAL FRIEND, CALLED ME TO HIS OFFICE EARLY EVENING FEBRUARY 8TH TO GIVE ME, ON A PRIVATE BASIS, COPY OF MESSAGE ENACTED LATE IN AFTERNOON IN SENATE AFTER ALL-DAY SESSION SUPPOSEDLY DEVOTED TO TURK FOREIGN OFFICE BUDGET, BUT TAKEN UP LARGELY WITH DISCUSSION OF ACTION OF THE US CONGRESS. ACCORDING TO ARIBURUN DEBATE WAS NOT ONLY PROLONGED BUT BITTER. TEXT OF MESSAGE BEING CALBED DIRECTLY TO US SENATE FROM TURKISH SENATE RATHER THAN TRANSMITTED THROUGH FOREIGN OFFICE

TEXT OF MESSAGE FOLLOWS:

QUOTE THE PRESIDENT OF THE U.S. SENATE
WASHINGTON D.C.

THE SENATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY DISCUSSED IN ITS MEETING OF
FEBRUARY 8, 1975 THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS RESOLUTION TO
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SUSPEND MILITARY AID TO TURKEY. THE SENATE BELIEVES THAT THIS

RESOLUTION IS NOT COMPATIBLE WITH THE ALLIED SOLIDARITY.
THE SENATE FURTHER BELIEVES THAT THE AFORESAID RESOLUTION
CASTS SERIOUS DOUBTS ON THE CREDIBILITY OF THE UNITED STATES
COMMITMENTS AND ADVERSELY AFFECTS THE ALLIED SECURITY. ACCORDINGLY
IT HAS BEEN DECIDED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE TO CONVERY TO THE UNITED
STATES SENATE THE DEEP CONCERN AND REGRET OF THE SENATE OF THE
REPUBLIC OF TURKEY.

TEKIN ARIBURUN
PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE UNQUOTE
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